## **PATENT APPLICATION**

## RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 2625

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Ryoji WATANABE et al. Group Art Unit: 2625

Application No.: 10/647,208 Examiner: M. GETANEH

Filed: August 26, 2003 Docket No.: 116938

For: IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS AND IMAGE FORMING METHOD

## AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the April 24, 2009 Office Action, the statutory period for reply being extended by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and Remarks.